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Case No. 9378/192

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Roche et al.

Serial No: 10/531,784

Examiner: unknown

Filed: April 18, 2005

Group Art Unit: unknown

For: Production of Titania

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450 – Mail Stop Missing Parts
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Form PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice) dated 08/23/2005 for a period of four months to and including February 23, 2006.

☒ Applicant:

☐ claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

☒ is other than small entity

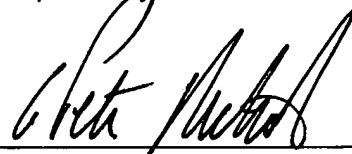
| | <u>Extension Months</u> | <u>Other Than Small Entity</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | One Month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Two Months | \$450.00 | \$225.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Three Months | \$1,020.00 | \$510.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Four Months | \$1,590.00 | \$795.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Five Months | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 |

Fee Payment

- ☒ Attached is a check for \$1,590.00 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$_____ for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Dated: February 14, 2006

Respectfully submitted,



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